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1. The following Soviet vehicle were noted in Vienna on 19 January 1953:

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truck with airforce driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with white star; civilian driver
 truck with white star; civilian driver
 truck with military driver
 truck with enclosed body; military driver
 Austrofiat truck with civilian driver
 jeep with enclosed body, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards; with
a tank troop officer passenger
 tank truck with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck
 truck with enclosed body; military driver
 truck with military driver and six enlisted men wearing black-bordered magenta shoulder boards
 truck with military driver.

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2. The following were noted on 20 January:

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Opel Kapitän sedan with military driver

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Tatraplan sedan with black star, civilian driver, parked on Taborstrasse
 Austrofiat truck with civilian driver
 truck with military driver
 truck with military driver
 truck with military driver
 bus with civilian driver
 Steyr truck with civilian driver
 jeep with airforce driver
 truck, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards
 truck with white star and trailer, civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 tank truck with civilian driver
 bus with civilian driver
 jeep with enclosed body; military driver
 Russian-type sedan with red star; civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with military driver
 weapon carrier with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver and two enlisted men wearing black-bordered blue and black-bordered magenta shoulder boards
 truck with military driver
 tank truck, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards, entering Wilhelmskaserne
 truck, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards, parked in front of Albrechtskaserne
 truck, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards, unloading solid fuel at Albrechtskaserne
 Mercedes sedan, parked at Globus Verlag
 Mercedes sedan, parked at Globus Verlag
 jeep bearing the inscription "Komendatura"; military driver.

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3. The following [] were noted on 21 January:

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[] sedan with white star, parked at Globus Verlag
 [] truck, driver with black-bordered magenta shoulder boards

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[truck
[truck with military driver
[truck with military driver
bus with civilian driver
BMW sedan
truck with white star
bus with white star; civilian driver
Steyr truck with civilian driver
Moskva sedan with red star; civilian driver ¹
truck with civilian driver
truck
jeep with enclosed body; airforce driver
sedan with civilian driver
Steyr truck with white star; civilian driver
truck, parked on Praterstrasse
truck with civilian driver
truck with civilian driver
truck with civilian driver
truck with civilian driver
bus with civilian driver
truck with military driver
truck with white star
truck, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards
Moskva sedan with civilian driver
sedan, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards
truck with trailer, civilian driver ²
truck painted yellow; civilian driver
truck with civilian driver
jeep bearing the inscription "Komendatura,"
driver with black-bordered magenta shoulder boards
truck with civilian driver
truck with military driver
truck with military driver
Opel Kapitän sedan with military driver ³

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4. The following [] were noted on 23 January:

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jeep with enclosed body, military driver,
parked at Globus Verlag
truck with civilian driver
weapon carrier with military driver
truck with military driver
truck with military driver
truck with white star, civilian driver
weapon carrier with civilian driver
jeep with enclosed body, military driver
truck with civilian driver ⁴
tank truck with civilian driver
truck with military driver.

5. The following [] were noted on 24 January:

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sedan, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
truck with military driver
Skoda sedan, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
Tatraplan sedan, driver with red-bordered
black shoulder boards.

6. The following [] were noted on 25 January:

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jeep with enclosed body, military driver
sedan with military driver
jeep with military driver
sedan with civilian driver
truck with civilian driver
truck, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
BMW sedan, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
sedan
truck, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards.

7. The following Soviet [] were noted in Vienna
on 26 January:

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truck with military driver and 20 sailors
sedan, parked at Grand Hotel
Russian-type sedan with military driver
jeep bearing the inscription "Komendatura,"
driver with black-bordered magenta shoulder
boards

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truck with military driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver ⁵
 motorcycle with sidecar, military driver
 bus with civilian driver
 bus with civilian driver
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with white star, civilian driver
 bus with civilian driver
 jeep with military driver and one officer
 wearing black-bordered magenta shoulder
 boards
 truck with white star, civilian driver
 bus with civilian driver
 jeep with a tank troop officer passenger;
 the driver wore red-bordered black shoulder
 boards
 truck with enclosed body, civilian driver;
 the vehicle was painted red and showed the
 inscription "Glashuettenwerke" ⁶
 ambulance with military driver
 truck
 truck with military driver, entering
 Albrechtskaserne
 jeep; the driver wore black-bordered magenta
 shoulder boards and motor transport insignia
 sedan with civilian driver
 BMW sedan with civilian driver, parked at
 Grand Hotel
 sedan with civilian driver, parked at Grand
 Hotel
 Russian-type sedan with civilian driver,
 parked at Grand Hotel
 sedan, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards and motor transport insignia,
 parked at Hotel Imperial
 sedan, parked at Hotel Imperial.

8. The following [redacted] were noted on 27 January:

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truck, driver with black-bordered magenta
 shoulder boards, parked at Globus Verlag;
 the figures but not the letter, appeared
 to be freshly painted
 sedan
 Russian-type sedan, driver with red-bordered
 black shoulder boards
 truck with military driver

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jeep, driver with black-bordered black shoulder boards
 jeep bearing the inscription "Komendatura," driver with black-bordered magenta shoulder boards
 jeep with enclosed body
 Steyr truck with civilian driver
 truck with enclosed body, military driver
 truck with military driver
 jeep with enclosed body, parked at Hotel Imperial
 jeep with enclosed body, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards, parked at Hotel Imperial
 jeep with enclosed body, delivering food to the guards at Hotel Imperial
 truck with civilian driver
 bus with civilian driver
 sedan, parked on Hoyosgasse
 truck, parked at Technikerstrasse 5
 truck, parked at Technikerstrasse 5
 auxiliary bus, parked on Schwarzenbergstrasse
 tank truck, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards
 truck, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards
 sedan with military driver
 sedan, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards
 sedan, driver with black-bordered magenta shoulder boards; an officer passenger wore red-bordered black shoulder boards
 truck with enclosed body and trailer, military driver
 truck
 sedan with military driver
 sedan with civilian driver.

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9. The following [redacted] were noted on 28 January:

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[redacted] truck, driver with black-bordered magenta shoulder boards
 sedan with civilian driver
 three-axled bus with civilian driver
 ambulance, driver with red-bordered black shoulder boards⁸

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truck with white star, civilian driver,
parked on Praterstern
truck; the driver and several enlisted men
who were armed, wore black-bordered magenta
shoulder boards
jeep with military driver⁹
truck with airforce driver
sedan with military driver, entering
Gartenbau
BMW sedan with civilian driver and one
officer passenger.

10. The following [redacted] were noted on 29 January:

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Moskva sedan with civilian driver, parked
at Grand Hotel
Moskva sedan, parked at Grand Hotel
BMW sedan, parked at Grand Hotel
truck with enclosed body, driver with red-
bordered black shoulder boards
truck, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
sedan, driver with black-bordered magenta
shoulder boards and motor transport
insignia
weapon carrier with civilian driver
sedan, parked at the Komendatura "Am
Tabor"
truck with military driver, parked on
Nordbahnstrasse
jeep with enclosed body, military driver
truck with military driver
ambulance with military driver
truck, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
truck, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
tank truck, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards, parked in front of
Albrechtskaserne
truck with airforce driver
three-axled bus with civilian driver
Opel Kapitän sedan, driver with red-
bordered black shoulder boards
Moskva sedan, driver with black-bordered
magenta shoulder boards
BMW sedan, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards
truck, driver with red-bordered black
shoulder boards

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truck with civilian driver
 truck with military driver
 jeep with enclosed body, civilian driver 10
 small truck with civilian driver.

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11. The following were noted on 30 January:

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BMW sedan, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards, parked at Grand Hotel
 Mercedes sedan, parked at Grand Hotel
 motorcycle with sidecar, driver with red-
 bordered black shoulder boards
 Opel Kapitän sedan
 truck with enclosed body, driver with red-
 bordered black shoulder boards
 truck with white star, civilian driver
 truck with white star, civilian driver
 auxiliary bus with white star, civilian
 driver
 truck, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards
 bus with civilian driver
 bus with civilian driver 11
 truck with civilian driver
 truck 12
 truck with civilian driver
 truck with white star, civilian driver
 truck with military driver
 jeep, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards
 bus with civilian driver 13
 three-axled truck with enclosed body,
 driver with red-bordered black shoulder
 boards; an iron ladder was attached to
 the rear; the windows were covered with
 wire mesh
 Moskva sedan, driver with red-bordered
 black shoulder boards, parked at the
 entrance gate of Wilhelmskaserne
 truck with airforce driver
 jeep bearing the inscription "Komendatura,"
 driver with black-bordered magenta shoulder
 boards
 BMW sedan, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards
 Mercedes sedan, parked at Globus Verlag
 Skoda sedan with military driver, parked
 at Globus Verlag.

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12. The following [redacted] were noted on 31 January:

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Opel Kapitän sedan
 jeep with enclosed body, military driver
 sedan, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards
 small truck with civilian driver
 bus with white star and trailer, civilian
 driver
 sedan with military driver
 truck with military driver
 sedan, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards
 truck with airforce driver
 jeep, driver with black-bordered magenta
 shoulder boards
 Moskva sedan, driver with red-bordered
 black shoulder boards
 truck with military driver
 jeep with enclosed body, military driver.

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13. The following [redacted] were noted on 1 February:

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jeep, parked on Operngasse
 Ford truck, driver with red-bordered black
 shoulder boards
 motorcycle with sidecar, driver with red-
 bordered black shoulder boards, parked at
 Gussausstrasse 30
 jeep with enclosed body, driver with black-
 bordered magenta shoulder boards, parked
 at Gussausstrasse 30
 jeep with enclosed body, military driver,
 parked at Gussausstrasse 30
 Moskva sedan, parked at Gussausstrasse 30
 sedan 14
 Opel Kapitän sedan, driver with red-
 bordered black shoulder boards
 Moskva sedan with military driver
 jeep, driver with black-bordered magenta
 shoulder boards 9
 sedan with military driver
 sedan
 sedan with civilian driver 16.

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